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ALLIED ADVANCE OF SEVERAL MILES

AXIS DEFENCE LINES OCCUPIED

BRITISH and Allied troops on the El Alamein front advanced several miles yesterday and in one sector are in the last of the forward defence trenches of the Axis.

Reuter's Cairo Correspondent states that, in addition to the extremely heavy artillery barrage, Allied aircraft unloaded immense quantities of bombs on Axis armoured divisions, and tanks and armoured cars advanced through gaps torn in the Axis defence lines by Allied infantry.

In a special report from the front yesterday, Berlin claimed that the attack had been frustrated, with a loss of one-third of the available Allied tanks.

Reuter's correspondent with the Allied Armies west of El Alamein, cabling yesterday, said that an Allied infantry move soon after midnight began the new push to the south of the coastal region, where Axis forces were earlier hemmed in between the railway and the sea. The British troops made an important advance of several miles, and German and Italian prisoners were, at the time of cabling, coming back behind the lines in considerable numbers.

"The point where the Allied infantry yesterday made their break-through was one section of the last of the enemy's forward defences in the northern sector. The Afrika Korps is mustering all its available tanks and anti-tank guns, as well as troops, to block the bridgehead thus established by the Allied troops, who have captured hundreds of prisoners."

The infantry moved up to the attack in the region of Tel el Aqqaquir, a stony ridge some one hundred feet high dominating the area south of Sidi Abd el Rahman, and worked their way forward, hacking at the Axis hastily-wired defences, while sappers prodded and searched for mines. "They had to fight their way through minefields, strong points, booby traps and other obstacles. Then the tanks moved forward in the thin dawn light along the desert tracks—a most impressive sight."

A TOUGH JOB

The armoured battle was joined, as soon as the light was good enough, on a track running mainly south from Sidi Abd el Rahman, where the Axis pocket is threatened from the west.

"Things have gone well so far for the Allied Army, but it is obvious that the penetration of Marshal Rommel's main defences must of necessity be a tough business. The new tank battle, which was on a scale eclipsing the previous big clash a week ago, is of tremendous importance in relation to the whole offensive.

"Activity has not been confined to this sector, but is going on all along the front. It is clear that the Allied Army now has achieved room for manœuvre after digging deeply into the network of interdependent defences. The present attack in the north may well have its repercussions on Marshal Rommel's positions in the south, where his right flank, forming an arc curved towards the Allied lines, hinges on the Qattara Depression.

"As a result of this new development, fighting on the coastal sector assumes secondary importance. If the new advance goes well, the situation on the coast will automatically improve.. There is no news so far of the enemy cut off in the pocket having broken out.

"DRIVE FRUSTRATED"

LONDON, Tuesday.—The German News Agency, quoting a special radio report, states: "General Montgomery has thrown in some 500 tanks in the greatest tank battle of the whole African campaign. The large-scale offensive, which was to bring about a break-through on the tenth day of General Alexander's offensive, with the help of all tank units at his disposal, is already frustrated." The Agency states:

"Despite terrific losses in men and material, General Montgomery continued the attempt on November 3, concentrating all his remaining Egypt forces in an attempt to pierce the German-Italian front. The German Stukas played a tremendous part, while some 500 tanks, which included the latest American types, were being concentrated. When the Allies attempted, by massing Dominion troops on a narrow sector, to widen the breaches in the Axis positions, they encountered the devastating fire of large numbers of anti-tank guns. The first tanks of the wedge were in flames after initial hits, while others turned off, rushing in circles as they were shot up one after the other, or crashed in the thick dust into the tank in front. But fresh tanks kept advancing, firing from all barrels as they rushed the German-Italian lines. In the meantime some British armoured cars had made use of gaps in the central defence system to reach the rear of the Axis line. They were immediately intercepted by Italian tank formations and destroyed.

ROMMEL TAKES PART

"When the battle of the tanks against the German and Italian infantry, who were displaying miracles of courage, had reached a dramatic climax, Rommel threw in his own tanks for an annihilating flank thrust. In a struggle of unimaginable bitterness lasting for hours he succeeded in throwing back the British, who fought doggedly yard by yard. A number of British tanks burnt out and incapable of action remained in his hands, and, although his own losses were not inconsiderable, when night fell he was master of the battlefield. The large-scale attack had failed. Not less than 90 tanks, mainly of American origin, remained in the German lines. A cautious estimate is that in the large-scale attack of yesterday the British must have lost at least one-third of the tank forces still remaining to them. Fifteen British 'planes were brought down by our fighters, and only one German aircraft was lost.

LONDON, Tuesday.—Berlin to-night predicted a decision "one way or another" soon. German Radio said: "The battle has now reached its climax. The defensive strength of the German Panzer Army is still proving superior to the offensive power of the British. Intensified air activity on the Axis side is already beginning to make itself seriously felt.

The German News Agency said—"In the narrow northern wing of the El Alamein front to-day heavy battles developed in the early morning between the two tank armies—without the British this time being successful. By about noon the British thrusts slackened until they petered out altogether. The German-Italian tank army again asserted its domination of the battlefield. The huge losses which the British Army suffered in tanks, particularly the large tanks used for the first time on the previous day, in heavy artillery, and in enormous casualties deprived to-day's attacks of all their force. In view of the pressure put on General Montgomery, and the hopes expressed by British and U.S. public opinion, it must be assumed that the offensive will be continued in spite of the visible reduction of the forces at his disposal, which have diminished by more than half."—Reuter.

The German High Command claimed to-night that eleven Spitfire and Curtiss fighters were shot down for the loss of one German 'plane in 3, concentrating all his remaining Egypt yesterday.—Reuter.

AUSTRALIANS PASS KOKODA

NOW ON ROAD TO BUNA

ADVANCING Australian troops have swept through Kokoda, Japanese base in the Owen Stanley Mountains, and are now pushing on towards the village of Oivi, well on the road to the Japanese port of Buna, on New Guinea's northern coast.

General Sir Thomas Blamey, Commander-in-Chief, Australian forces, has issued this message, says a Reuter telegram from Sydney yesterday:—

"Our troops have recaptured every foot of ground lost during the previous withdrawal. They are now beyond Kokoda. This was accomplished by the resolution of the commanders and the tenacity and determination of the Australian infantry, who fought in the most difficult country in tropical heat and

rain. The troops are full of vigour, and are eager to close with the Japanese, who no longer show readiness to meet them in battle."

The Australian advance from Isurava took only 35 days, compared with 44 taken by the Japanese in their southward drive. Allied troops found Kokoda, with its strategically valuable airfield, in ruins—partly from the terrific strafing from Allied aircraft and partly from Japanese demolitions. A new Japanese attempt to land reinforcements on the northern coast has been defeated

CONVOY ATTACKED

General MacArthur's spokesman said yesterday that the convoy, consisting of two large transports of approximately 12,000 and 10,000 tons, carrying some 7,000 troops, was sighted by reconnaissance 'planes. After the first attack by Flying Fortresses and Marauders the Japanese ships turned north-east, and were attacked again off the south coast of New Britain. Five Japanese fighters covering the attempted landing were shot down. One of the transports was later spotted on fire off Gasmata, New Britain.

Mr. F. M. Forde, Australian Army Minister, described the Kokoda advance as "a great achievement in face of tremendous obstacles, but it should not be over-emphasised." The official view in Sydney is that, despite their enforced withdrawal from Kokoda, the Japanese have no intention of giving up New Guinea. It may be expected that the steady Allied advance towards the north coast will be parried with all the forces the Japanese are able to concentrate.

M. DEAT'S CALL TO FRANCE

"REPULSE ANGLO-SAXON"

LONDON, Monday.—M. Marcel Deat, collaborationist and head of the "Rassemblement National Populaire," in a speech broadcast by Paris Radio, said: "The war is shifting to Africa, the only suitable place for an attempt at setting up a second front. It is there that France is running the greatest risk. But there, also, an opportunity presents itself—a heroic opportunity to defend her empire. The question now is whether we shall be able to keep our African possessions. Let us give up illusions. If we do not keep French West Africa and Morocco, if we do not repulse the Anglo-Saxon invader, we are lost. France without an empire is not longer France—she is nothing. There must be no more material or moral surprises. Our anxiety can only vanish completely if we determine to study the question of a Franco-German pact in the same way as that in which we concluded the Franco-Japanese pact on Indo-China in 1941. Such an agreement would guarantee the future as well as the immediate present. It is only by that means that Dakar can be really defended."—(Reuter.)

MEDICAL COUNCIL

REGISTRATION INQUIRY

Dr. D. J. Coffey, M.A., M.B., D.Sc., was again elected—*in absentia*—President of the newly reconstituted Medical Registration Council, which held its first meeting yesterday at 68 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin. The Council will hold office for five years.

The Fifth Addendum of the British Pharmacopœia shall be in force in this country, the Council had decided, said Senator R. W. Rowlette, who presided, as a war-time measure to economise alcohol. This addendum shows certain monographs giving formulæ for concentrated preparations, as alternatives for those now in use. The restricted use during the emergency of certain drugs contained in these preparations had been advised. The inclusion of the formulæ did not represent a recommendation for the use of the drugs, but merely provided for their use in the form which requires the least possible amount of alcohol.

An inquiry was held by the Council, *in camera*, as to whether the name of Patrick Joseph Conlin, M.B., B.Ch., care of Lloyd's Bank, Cardiff, should be erased from the register on the grounds of convictions alleged in the notice of the inquiry. They were:—That he was convicted outside Eire (1) on November 18, 1932, at the City Police Court, Manchester, in the name of Patrick Joseph Conlan, of being drunk and disorderly, and sentenced to a fine of 20s.; (2) on February 17th, 1939, at the Coleraine Petty Sessions, of being guilty, whilst drunk, of disorderly behaviour, and sentenced to a fine of 10s. and costs.

Senator Rowlette announced that the Council had decided not to order the removal of Dr. Conlin's name from the register.

£2 10s. FOR CYCLE TYRE

Bernard Scanlon, Ballygar, was fined £20 by Deputy District Justice Mangan at Mountbellew (Galway), on the charge of selling a bicycle tyre for £2 10s.

TRAVEL PERMITS

REDUCED ISSUE TO WORKERS

MEN WANTED FOR WORK ON FARM AND BOG

A SCHEME to ensure sufficient labour in the country for the production of food and fuel in the coming year was announced by the Government yesterday evening. The plan outlined comes under three heads:—

(a) Restriction on emigration;

(b) Setting up a register of agricultural and turf workers, the persons entered on which will be entitled, while unemployed, to certain payments and other advantages; and

(c) Increased rates of Unemployment Assistance in districts in which the Food Voucher Scheme is not in operation, including the districts chiefly affected by the special restrictions on emigration.

Until further notice travel permits for emigration to Great Britain and Northern Ireland will not be issued to men who during the last two years have had more than three months' experience in agriculture or in the turf industry, and who reside outside incorporated towns (that is, county boroughs, boroughs, urban districts and towns having Commissioners) save to men residing in certain district electoral divisions, commonly referred to as congested districts.

Furthermore, travel permits will not be issued to men who have taken up residence in incorporated towns during the past two years, and who have had more than three months' experience in agriculture during that period.

This restriction is additional to the ban on the issue of a travel permit to any person who is employed, or for whom employment is immediately available in this country or who is under twenty-two years of age. It is a continuation in a somewhat altered form of the ban imposed by the Government on the 19th May last, the period of operation of which, subject to review, was to have expired on 30th September. Restriction on the emigration of agricultural and turf workers during the slack season in these industries is, in the opinion of the Government, fully justified, in order to ensure an adequate number of workers for the production of food and fuel in 1943. A number of the workers who come under the ban on the issue of travel permits will, it is realised, experience periods of unemployment, and the Government has decided to make additional provision for them during these periods.

GOLF BY TAXI

For wasting motor fuel by driving a cab along a golf course, a taxi proprietor, Edward Winter, was at Wrexham yesterday fined 10s.

Winter was said to have told the police that he had in the cab a 93-year-old player who was too weak to walk.

For the defence it was stated that the passenger went to the links frequently for a game. He could only go round the course by getting the car to carry him, after he had taken a shot, to near where the ball had stopped.

GERMAN AIR RAID ON ENGLISH TOWN

TWO FIGHTERS SHOT DOWN

The British Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Affairs stated in a communiqué last night:—

"Early this afternoon four enemy fighters, two of which were destroyed by our fighters, attacked a place on the south-west coast of England, doing some damage and causing a small number of casualties. Bombs were also dropped at two places in East Anglia, where the damage was slight and there were no casualties."

The Air Ministry's News Service, describing the attack on the four German machines, said that two pilots of the "Burma" Squadron saw them flying low after the raid and gave chase. They brought down two with one burst each. The other two escaped into France.

Five people were killed in the south-west coast town, it was learned later. A sixth person is missing.

BRITISH DAY RAIDS

Stirlings of the Bomber Command attacked industrial objectives in Western Germany yesterday afternoon, and other bombers attacked communications in the Low Countries.

Low-flying Spitfires of the Fighter Command yesterday again made many attacks on German communications in occupied France, states the Air Ministry's News Service. Locomotives, army lorries, electric pylons, and enemy shipping were among the targets attacked.

IN A CRUMLIN FOOD QUEUE

NEW MEALS DEPOT OPENED

BY A REPORTER.

I took my place in a hot meal queue on a road in North Crumlin yesterday. The hour was 12.30, and the queue was composed of some 300 school boys and girls, carrying cans, basins, mugs and jugs. Our Lady of Good Counsel food dépôt has just opened. A Corporation small dwelling had been converted into a cookhouse, equipped with a number of electric cookers. A woman and a girl and a number of nuns of the Mercy Order were cooking the stew, vegetables and potatoes.

The queue of youngsters filed past the window, presented the vessels they carried, and for sums varying from a penny to sixpence secured their hot meals and light-heartedly went on their way. There are other such kitchens in operation in the populous Crumlin district, also operated by this charitable community of welfare workers.

POST-WAR PROBLEMS

Remedies for the many post-war problems that will inevitably obtrude themselves, were suggested at yesterday's meeting of the Irish Women Citizens' Association, at 5 Leinster street, Dublin, when Miss Rosamond Jacobs spoke on "The L.L.O., and Reconstruction." She indicated that after the war there would be overflowing stocks of coffee, cotton and wheat. The International Labour Office would have to deal with the distribution of these and other available commodities to needy countries.

Mrs. J. Coote, chairman of the society, suggested that they would have to face a certain amount of Government control, and Miss Dora Malone held that one of the main things that would confront them was the reshaping of currency.

Miss M. Shackleton presided.

HANGED FOR TREACHERY

A twenty-one years old Plymouth-born merchant seaman was executed for treachery at Wandsworth Jail, London, yesterday. He was Duncan Alexander Croall Scott-Ford, born on September 4, 1921.

The Home Office announced that he was convicted under the Treachery Act at the Central Criminal Court on October 16 before Mr. Justice Birkett and a jury, and was sentenced to death. The trial was heard *in camera*, and he was represented by eminent counsel. Scott-Ford did not appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeal.

At the annual meeting of the Metaphysical Society in Trinity College yesterday. Front row (from left):—Dr. A. A. Luce, the Archbishop of Dublin (the Most Rev. Dr. Barton), and Mr. F. La Touche Godfrey. Behind:—R. Boyle (Hon. Secretary), J. V. Luce (Auditor) and J. Roundhill (Hon. Treas.).

DUBLIN FIRE AND EXPLOSIONS

SIX PRISONERS ESCAPED

Six prisoners serving sentences imposed by the Special Criminal Court escaped from Mountjoy Prison on Saturday evening, the Government Information Bureau announced yesterday.

Now We Breed Oysters

"IRISH TIMES" REPORTER.

"TO Irish Sea Fisheries, Ltd., at a Cromane (Co. Kerry) nursing home—5,000 baby oysters—all doing well." In some such terms as these the news may now be announced of the very successful conclusion of the first large-scale attempt in Ireland to breed oysters under artificial conditions.

The story of the experiment begins last May, when Irish Sea Fisheries decided to do something about the threat to the Irish oyster farming industry caused by the stoppage of supplies of seedling oysters usually obtained from France. The official in charge of the Association's mussel purification station at Cromane, near Killorglin, Mr. Noel Wilmott, knew something about oyster breeding from his studies at, and subsequent contact with, the British Fisheries' research station at Conway, North Wales. Moreover, the mussel tanks at Cromane suitable for carrying out a breeding experiment are idle during the summer, this being the off-season in the mussel industry. So, as a start, about 500 mature oysters were obtained from the E.S.B. fisheries at Tarbert, and at the beginning of June they were put into the large open-air concrete tank under water, and left to get on with their work. At intervals a nice salad of lobster meat, crab meat and sand was put in to nourish the oysters. Tiles coated with a mixture of mud and lime were also put into the tank for the oyster spat to adhere to when it was liberated.

ODDS AGAINST

The odds against success seemed so great that nobody was confident about the result. The favourable season was nearly at an end, the temperatures and the salinity of the water at Cromane and Tarbert were different, and, in addition, the oysters probably had not been helped, in their condition, by the jolting in a lorry along the roads from Tarbert. June passed without any sign. On the last day of July the water was slightly cloudy—said to be a sign of the coming fall of spat—but no spat fell. Not till near the end of August was anything seen at the periodical examination of the tiles, when it was revealed that the young oysters had been born

A week or so ago the population of the tank had grown from 500 to 5,500, the 5,000 being oysters of an average size of 3-8ths of an inch, and still adhering to the tiles. The next stage will be to put them into another tank, or possibly into the sea, with the tiles made fast to stakes. Some time next year they will be prized loose from the tiles and left on natural beds in the sea to continue their growth at the rate of three-quarters of an inch per year, until, in about four years' time, they are ready to be associated with a plate of brown bread and a bottle of stout.

The Irish Sea Fisheries' Association is very pleased with the success of the first, and most difficult, stage in the attempt to breed oysters, and think that they have prepared the way for a big development of oyster-farming in Ireland.

P.O. STORES GUTTED

THE entire factory section of the Stores Branch of the Department of Posts and Telegraphs at St. John's road, Kingsbridge, Dublin, was completely destroyed by fire early this morning. The fire was first noticed by a taxi-driver, Thomas Ryan, 1a Emmet road, Inchicore, who was travelling towards the city when he saw a glow in the windows of the 100-foot long building as he passed. He notified the night staff of the Great Southern Railways terminus at Kingsbridge, who summoned the Fire Brigade by 'phone.

Four sections of the Dublin Fire Brigade, accompanied by the rescue van, arrived at 1.15, but by that time the whole building, which was a wooden structure with a felt roof, was firmly ablaze, and all that could be done was to isolate the outbreak and prevent it from spreading to the laboratory and office premises. Before this could be done a number of Post Office delivery vans had to be pushed to safety. After an hour's work the fire was got under control and finally extinguished.

EXPLOSIONS

During the fire there were a number of violent explosions, when drums of oxygen and carboys of highly inflammable acid were reached by the flames. The first of these explosions summoned Major-General Hugo MacNeill, Assistant Chief of Staff, and a number of Army officers from their beds at headquarters. They immediately went to the scene of the fire, and a military cordon was thrown around the area. Chief Superintendent Casserly and other Garda officers were also on the scene, and one of the earliest arrivals at the fire was the Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.), who had been attending a social function in the city.

The factory, which is on the site of what was a munition factory during the Great War, normally employs up to two hundred persons in the manufacture of telephonic and other post office equipment, as well as the stamping of coat buttons for Army, Guards and Governmental uniforms.

Damage to the extent of many thousands of pounds was caused by the fire, but a far more serious aspect is the destruction of much material which is difficult, and in some cases almost impossible, to replace.

Owing to the highly inflammable nature of the building and its contents, the course of the fire was very rapid.

SCHOOL FIRE OUTBREAK

Simultaneously with the general Dublin Fire Brigade call to the fire at St. John's road, Kingsbridge, this morning, the Rathmines section was summoned to an outbreak at the National Schools, Ballinteer road, Dundrum. The outbreak, however, was only slight, and was extinguished by the efforts of the local auxiliary fire service men, Civic Guards and L.D.F. before the brigade arrived.

LATE NEWS

NEW ATTACK ON STALINGRAD

LONDON, Wednesday. — Broadcasting from Moscow early to-day, Mr. Robert Magidoff, of the National Broadcasting Co., said that the Germans have again resumed large-scale operations against Stalingrad.—(Reuter.)

U.S. ELECTIONS

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.—Several sitting Senators and Governors took the leads over their opponents in the returns trickling in from America's first war-time elections since 1918. In Massachusetts Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Republican, forged ahead of the "New Deal" representative, Mr. Joseph Casey, in the Senatorial contest. In Illinois Senator O. Wayland Brooks, Republican and pre-war Isolationist, was ahead of Representative McKeough, Democrat. Senator Carter Glass, Virginia, and Senators Allen J. Ellender, Louisiana; Richard B. Russell, Georgia; John H. Bankhead, Alabama, and Senator Eastland, Democrats, were re-elected.

For Congress, Mr. Hamilton Fish, Republican, New York, took an early lead.

The *New York Herald-Tribune* announced this morning that Mr. Thomas Dewey, Republican, was elected Governor of New York by 500,000 votes.

PUBLIC NUISANCE CHARGE

The hearing was resumed at the Dublin Circuit Criminal Court, Green street, yesterday, of the case in which Anthony J. Moran, insurance collector, St. Malachy's road, Glasnevin, is accused of committing a public nuisance by falsely stating on December 16 last that he had been assaulted and of fraudulently obtaining £38 from his employers, the Irish Assurance Company.

Dr. J. McGrath, State pathologist, said that when he examined Moran he decided that the cuts on the face had not been caused by a blow. They would have shown bruising if caused in a scuffle. They could have been caused by the staples produced in court. There was no bruising or mark on the forehead, nor on the back or shoulder. He (Dr. McGrath) concluded that Moran had had no such injury as would produce unconsciousness.

The hearing was adjourned until this morning.

CALCUTTA, Tuesday. — About 11,000 people have perished as a result of a cyclone which swept over several parts of Bengal on October 16, says Reuter.

LIQUOR BILL IN THE DAIL

MINISTER'S CONCESSION

When the Intoxicating Liquor Bill comes up in the Dail to-day, on Committee stage, Mr. Gerald Boland, Minister for Justice, will move an amendment to Section 7 dealing with the *bona fide* traveller question. He will move that *bona fide* trade may be carried on during weekdays between 6 a.m. and 11 p.m. daily in all licensed premises situated outside the county boroughs. The bill as introduced confined the sale of liquor on weekdays in those areas to ordinary opening hours. At present the *bona fide* law operates for the twenty-four hours on weekdays.

Notices of no fewer than 86 amendments have been placed on the Order Paper, and these are in the names of deputies of all parties in the House.

In addition to the Liquor Bill, the Committee stages of the Electricity Supply Bill and the Trade Union Bill are listed for consideration.

STANDARD WAGE CLAIMS

At the Wages Tribunal, sitting in Dublin, yesterday, the Lisduff Quarry workers, Ballybrophy, Leix, and the workers of the Killaloe Slate Quarry Co., Ltd., Portroe, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary, applied for a standard wage order and a bonus order.

Mr. Denis Tierney and Mr. M. Mockler represented the Lisduff men; Mr. A. F. Doyle represented the Killaloe Co., and Mr. S. Molamphy the men.

The Killaloe men already had been granted a bonus of 3s. per week.

The Irish Transport Workers' Union, represented by Mr. W. McMullen, applied for a Wages (Standard Rate) Order applicable to workers in the cement manufacturing industry in Ireland. The factories concerned are in Drogheda, and Mungret, Co. Limerick. The wages in the industry vary from 18s. to £2 10s. per week for youths, and from £3 to £4 odd for men.

The Tribunal consisted of Mr. D. Fawsitt, K.C.; Messrs. D. Mellon and C. O'Shannon.

MORE TRADERS FINED

Fines amounting to £55 were imposed by District Justice Molony, in the District Court, Dublin, on Thomas Mathews, 64A North King street, on a series of summonses for failing to keep a record of tea sales to registered householders; for unlawfully selling tea to unauthorised persons; for selling quantities of cocoa to unauthorised persons, and for failing to give a receipt in respect of two ounces of plug tobacco.

Mary Jane Tallon, 116 Abbey street, was fined £20 for selling a quarter-pound of Irel coffee for 1s., the controlled price being 9½d.

John Byrne, Cooleragh, Robertstown, Co. Kildare, was fined £25 for selling turf by retail at 6d. per dozen sods, the controlled price being 3d. per dozen.

Arnold Graham Sutton, 27 Pearse street, Dublin, was fined £75 for selling to Victor E. Hanna, 65 Lansdowne road, an unused bicycle in May last for £18 18s., the controlled price being £10.

JAPANESE LANDING IN SOLOMONS

"EIGHT WARSHIPS SUNK"

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.—There has been a new Japanese landing on Guadalcanal Island, in the Solomons. A Navy Department communiqué says:—"South Pacific—During the night of November 1-2 U.S. dive-bombers continued their attacks on enemy positions at the north-western end of Guadalcanal Island. During the morning of November 2 United States destroyers bombarded an enemy position on Guadalcanal west of the Matanikau River, supporting our land attacks in that area. During the night of November 2-3 the Japanese landed troop reinforcements to the east of our positions on the north coast of Guadalcanal Island."

Colonel Knox, U.S. Navy Secretary, stated to-day that three Japanese cruisers and five destroyers had been sunk in the battle off Savo Island on October 11-12. Previously the Navy Department had reported that one cruiser, four destroyers and a transport were sunk. Warning that there was a "bitter, tough fight ahead," Colonel Knox said—"There is no warrant for optimism; we know the Japanese still have a fleet of formidable proportions, and we do not doubt that they will come back."—Reuter

A Tokyo military spokesman, quoted by Paris radio to-night, said that the fighting on Guadalcanal was now drawing to a close, and added: "Several American lines have been taken by storm and some 90 per cent. of the Americans killed, while the rest are slowly retreating westwards."—(Reuter.)

FEWER CASES

INFANTILE PARALYSIS

The Department of Local Government and Public Health states that during the week ended 31st ult. there were two further cases in Dublin City and 15 in the rest of the country—making a total of 17, as compared with 28 in the preceding week. Three deaths were reported for the whole country. There was no death in Dublin City.

STALINGRAD ARMY'S OFFENSIVE

GERMAN ADVANCE IN THE CAUCASUS

THE defenders of Stalingrad have driven the Germans out of still other fortified positions, both in the factory area and in the south of the city, and are adopting a general offensive, according to Reuter's Moscow Correspondent. Berlin stated yesterday, however, that the Volga had been reached at another point and nests of resistance in the city cleared.

In the Caucasus the Germans continue their advance towards the great military road leading to the Caspian, but on other sectors they are on the defensive, notably in the region of Tuapse, where Moscow claims an improvement in the position of the Red Army.

North-west of Stalingrad heavy German attacks were repelled.

MOSCOW, Tuesday. — Reuter's correspondent here says that Stalingrad's defenders are hitting back strongly and in the Caucasus the Russians are bringing up reinforcements to stem the new German drive below Nalchik. Five divisions of German infantry, supported by hundreds of 'planes, are trying to outflank the Soviet forces holding the Mozdok area. Thrusting along the Nalchik Valley, which runs along the foothills towards Alagir and Ordzhonikidze, the German aim is to develop a pincer movement to envelop the oilfields from the North and outflank Ordzhonikidze from the West. Owing to superiority in men, tanks and 'planes, the Germans were able to overwhelm the Soviet force which guarded the railway and valley towards Nalchik. Nalchik is in flames and the Germans are pushing on South-East in an attempt to rejoin the southern loop of the main North-Caucasus railway going to Grozny and Makhach Kala and the Caspian. Ordzhonikidze is the starting-point of the Georgian military highway leading to Tiflis.

SOVIET GAINS

"The situation inside Stalingrad remains difficult, but the defenders are hitting back hard. After holding up some of the fiercest attacks for several days, reinforced Soviet units have passed to the counter-attack, and are driving the Germans out of several important strategic positions. The Germans are now incapable of keeping up non-stop attacks for days on end. They are forced to pause for regrouping after every attack. Their numbers are still superior, however, and the defenders have still to bring all their reinforcements across the Volga, which is under constant fire. The German Command shows no signs of wanting to give up the idea of capturing what is left of Stalingrad. Nor are there any signs of an early winter this year."

"North-east of Tuapse the Germans are being driven steadily back, and the Red Army are again well established in the mountains and holding a tactically important range."

BERLIN CLAIMS

LONDON, Tuesday—The German News Agency to-night stated that in the Terek sector German tank divisions yesterday advanced further towards the east, securing the right flank in the valleys of the Caucasus.

"Enemy resistance on this front is, however, stiffening. Attempts by strong Soviet forces to penetrate the flank of the German tank wedge were effectively met.

"In the industrial districts of Stalingrad, nine German assault units have taken further sectors of the Volga bank. At the same time, hundreds of dive-bombers hammered at the factory buildings still in enemy hands south of the 'Red October works.'"—(Reuter.)

SOVIET COMMUNIQUE

MOSCOW, Tuesday — To-night's Soviet communiqué states:—"During November 3rd our troops fought the enemy in the areas of Stalingrad, north-east of Tuapse and south-east of Nalchik. No changes took place on the other fronts. In the Baltic our ships sank three enemy transports, totalling 36,000 tons. In the area of Stalingrad our troops fought fierce engagements. In several sectors the Germans launched four to five attacks, but every time, suffering enormous losses, were forced to fall back. In the area of one factory our troops, having repelled attacks by enemy infantry and tanks, passed to the counter-attack, and re-occupied several pockets of resistance of the enemy. As a result, according to incomplete data, about 2,000 enemy officers and men were killed and a large quantity of equipment destroyed.

"North-west of Stalingrad in several sectors artillery and mortar duels took place. Having silenced enemy gunfire, our men counter-attacked and occupied enemy fortified positions.

"South-east of Nalchik our troops fought tense defensive engagements.

"North-east of Tuapse our units repelled an attack by a battalion of enemy infantry. In another sector, in fighting for a height, about one company of the enemy were wiped out."—(Reuter.)

CAMPAIGN AGAINST "T.B."

MEDICAL MEN TO MEET

PLANS for the launching of a campaign under the ægis of the National Anti-Tuberculosis League will take definite shape at a meeting of members of the medical profession in the Royal College of Physicians, Dublin, on November 10th next, when a programme will be submitted from the Provisional Committee of the League, which has been at work during the last month or two preparing a scheme.

The project has already received the support of members of the profession from all over the country. It is generally felt that the campaign against a disease which claims fifty per cent. of all deaths in this country between fifteen and thirty-five years should no longer be left to sporadic efforts on the part of different bodies, and that it is time that all those separate endeavours should be concentrated in the driving force of one national organisation.

It is to further the establishment and spread of this league that the forthcoming meeting is being held, and the promoters believe that by the establishment of such a movement the death-rate from the disease could be halved. This has been achieved in other countries by doctors and lay men working together in an Anti-Tuberculosis League on the one hand, and the public health authorities on the other. Such results are achieved because such a league collects information, stimulates public interest in the disease, and especially promotes effective after-care.

In connection with the report of the remarks by Dr. Hannigan at the meeting of the Dublin Corporation—that "85 per cent. of those who die from tuberculosis die between the ages of 15 and 55"—the word "pulmonary" should have been inserted before tuberculosis. Seventy per cent. of deaths between the ages mentioned occur from tuberculosis in general.

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GALWAY COURSING — There will be two coursing meetings at Galway this season. December 15 has been provisionally fixed for the first, but the date for the second has not yet been decided. The Oranmore Club has decided not to hold its meeting this year owing to difficulties of travelling.

Newmarket Programme

WELL-KNOWN sprinters will contest the Horseheath Stakes at Newmarket to-day. The race may go to Portobello, who has been moving with something like the dash of last season, when he was sprint champion. Bees Knees, who never runs a bad race, and Equipoise may provide the stoutest opposition.

Kobold, who probably would have beaten Extravagance at the last meeting but for a slow beginning, should win the Stow Stakes. Society Lady is the obvious danger.

Selections. — 12.15, Kobold (nap); 12.45, Portobello; 1.15, Pink Flower; 1.45, Tinkers Firs; 2.15, Sedate; 2.45, Seasick. Double—**Kobold** and **Tinkers Firs.**

12.15—STOW T.Y.O. MAIDEN STAKES. 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.

00 **El Bico** (Beatty) .....Stephenson
Royal Ensign (Fk. Butters)..D. Smith
C42 **Kobold** (Earl) .....H. Wragg
Flicker g. (Gaskell) .....Carey
Tetrates (R. Day) .....Beary
(Above carry 8-12.)
Glossy Ibis (J. Jarvis).....E. Smith
230 **Royal Mortlake** (J. Payne)..Lowrey
030 **Society Lady** (W. Pratt).G. Richards
(Above carry 8-9.)

Probable S.P.—11/10 Kobold, 7/2 Society Lady, 6/1 Royal Mortlake, 8/1 Glossy Ibis, 100/8 others.

12.45—HORSEHEATH STAKES. 6f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.

004 **Portobello** (R. J. Colling), 6, 9-7 G. Richards
124 **Bees Knees** (Jelliss), 3, 9-0...Jones
030 **Chancery** (H. Leader), 6, 8-12 Taylor
014 **Davy Dolittle** (Whitaker), 3, 8-12 Burns
020 **Brunel** (G. Colling), 3, 8-10 E. Smith
200 **High Command** (Lambton), 3, 8-10 Beary
004 **Equipoise** (Earl), 3, 8-7...H. Wragg
303 **Koko** (Walters), 3, 8-4...C. Richards
00 **Double Win** (Beatty), 3, 8-3 Stephenson

Probable S.P.—3/1 Portobello, 4/1 Bees Knees, 6/1 Equipoise, 8/1 Brunel, 10/1 Chancery and High Command, 100/8 Koko, 100/6 others.

1.15 — NOVEMBER NURSERY STAKES. 6f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.

211 **Pink Flower** (R. Day), 9-5 G. Richards
120 **Moonstone** (Fk. Butters), 9-2 Durr
030 **Bute Bida** (Jelliss), 8-12 .....Jones
210 **Swanee River** (Old Melody c.) (B. Rochfort), 8-10 .....Bridgland
000 **Jeeves** (Lambton), 8-9 .....Beary
010 **Young Fearless** (J. Jarvis), 8-3 E. Smith
343 **Sousi c.** (Jelliss), 8-3 ...C. Richards
033 **La Chateaureux** (J. Payne), 7-10 Durr

Probable S.P.—11/4 Pink Flower, 7/2 Moonstone, 5/1 La Chateaureux, 6/1 Scusi c., 15/2 Swanee River, 8/1 Young Fearless, 10/1 others.

1.45 — GAMLINGAY T.Y.O. STAKES. 7f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.

311 **Tinkers Firs** (J. Jarvis), 9-1 E. Smith
001 **Paper Boy** (Fk. Butters), 8-11 G. Richards
204 **Skerweather g.** (Beatty), 8-7 D. Smith
044 **Careless Talk** (W. Pratt), 8-7 Beary

Probable S.P.—5/4 Paper Boy, 7/4 Tinkers Firs, 8/1 Careless Talk, 100/8 Skerweather g.

2.15—HOUGHTON 3-Y.O. HANDICAP. 1m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.

013 **Hare Bell** (J. Jarvis), 9-7 E. Smith
200 **Proud Peter** (R. J. Colling), 9-0 Burton
010 **Paint Pot** (F. S. Butters), 8-13 Beary
010 **Hay Hill** (G. Colling), 8-10 H. Wragg
321 **Chinde** (B. Jarvis), 8-9 .....O'Neill
204 **Courtier** (Whitaker), 8-8 .....Elliott
334 **Baskerville** (W. Jarvis), 8-6 Richardson
003 **Sedate** (Walters), 8-3 .....
440 **Mad Carew** (W. Pratt), 8-2 ...Sime
000 **Valiance** (G. Colling), 7-13 ...Nevett
400 **Tarrock** (Earl), 7-11 ...G. Richards
000 **Noana** (R. Day) 7-10 C. Richards
000 **Ankara** (F. S. Butters), 7-7 Robertson

Probable S.P.—7/2 Baskerville, 9/2 Paint Pot, 6/1 Hay Hill and Sedate, 8/1 Courtier, 10/1 Hare Bell and Chinde, 100/8 Tarrock, 100/6 others.

2.45 — SOUTHFIELD 3-Y.O. MAIDEN STAKES.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.

Clairvoyant (G. Colling) G. Richards
The Lad (G. Colling) ...H. Wragg
002 **Seasick** (J. Jarvis) .....E. Smith
000 **The Warren** (Digby) .....Lane
(Above carry 8-12.)
200 **Disillusioned** (J. Payne), 8-9 Lowrey
304 **Weedkiller** (H. Leader), 8-9 ...Taylor

Probable S.P.—1/1 Seasick, 7/2 Clairvoyant, 6/1 Weedkiller, 8/1 The Lad, 100/8 Disillusioned, 20/1 The Warren.

GOOD POINTS OF IRISH RACING

BY OUR RACING CORRESPONDENT.

WE are now approaching the off-season in Irish racing. After the Limerick Meeting to-morrow there will be only Saturday fixtures up to the 5th of December, the date of the Red Cross Steeplechase, at Naas, and after that a close down until Christmas, when we will have the usual meetings at Leopardstown and Limerick.

What we term the off-season does not mean that the racing authorities have an idle time; it is, indeed, about their busiest. This week, for instance, there are sittings of the Racing Commission, and next week the statutory meeting of the Turf Club and the general meeting of the I.N.H.S. Committee, as well as the joint meeting of the Stewards of both bodies.

What racing people will be most interested in learning is what fixtures will be announced for next year. In normal times the arrangement of fixtures is a most difficult matter, as executives are anxious to secure the most suitable dates for their particular districts and the avoidance of clashing is not easy to accomplish, but the restricted list at present does not require such careful planning.

As far as racing at the Curragh is concerned, last Saturday's meeting brought about its close, and if the old order is to continue the resumption will be in the third week of April. It was a very satisfactory wind-up to the season's racing at headquarters, marked by a splendid race for the Irish Cesarewitch, in which the handicapper, Mr. J. C. Osborne, set such a pretty problem that the bookmakers offered odds of 6 to 1 the field, and the race was won by a rank outsider, Mr. R. H. Gordon's Winaway. At that time the distance covered was two miles instead of the usual mile and six furlongs, which brings up the interesting question as to what horse would have won over the shorter distance. The probability is that Mountain Loch, Point d'Atout and Submarine would have been the contenders in a stern finish, and that Winaway would have been only fourth.

This, of course, is only an assumption, but certain it is that it was only in the last furlong that Winaway asserted himself, and it looks as if the alteration of the distance was a lucky move as far as Mr. R. H. Gordon is concerned.

Mr. Gordon is an Englishman, and it is interesting to call to mind the numbers of cross-Channel owners who race here. At a time when there is such agitation for reforms in our methods, the point is cannot be much wrong with our racing cannot be much wrong with our racing when people from other and richer countries chose to send their horses here. I have often heard English visitors speak in terms of praise of Irish racing and a point they labour is the variety introduced into our programmes at many meetings—that is, the inclusion of steeplechases and hurdle races as well as flat events. In England, with few exceptions, it is all flat racing in the summer months and all jumping during winter.

Another matter which gives satisfaction is the declaration of runners the day before a meeting—a system introduced when the totalisator came into being. This has proved helpful to owners, trainers and the general public, though it brought opposition from some quarters at the beginning. Nowadays the public has an idea of the fare to be provided for them the evening before a meeting and make their plans accordingly.

The next big event in Irish racing is the Red Cross Steeplechase at Naas, the entries for which number thirty-one, and include such stalwarts as Prince Regent, Golden Jack, St. Martin, Reveal and Drumbilla. The weights will be published on November 13th.

RACING GOSSIP FROM HEADQUARTERS

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

People had reason to open their mouths wide at a few of the results at the Irish Cesarewitch meeting, and the going, which was good and sound, had nothing to do with them. But so it is usually at the close of a season. It was the end of a checkered Curragh season, in which Windsor Slipper and Majideh, both now retired to stud, played the premier parts. The two-year-olds were up and down, none so good as one might expect. Perhaps Safari, who is by the exported Bahram from Solerina, may be one of the best seen out. Solerina, by Soldennis, won the Stewards' Cup at Goodwood among other valuable events.

But the flat race year is not as yet by any means over, and there are the meetings at Limerick, Leopardstown and Naas to be considered and prepared for. One of the most interesting problems may be that at Limerick to-morrow—the Limerick Plate of a mile and a half. Sword Knot, one of H. M. Harigan's charges, has been up to now rather unlucky, but his turn may come here. Camerlone runs, I understand, and it might well be a match between the pair.

Among H. H. Beasley's charges at Sunnyside are Blancairn and Falkirk. Everyone wishes our new trainer well. He has had a wonderful career as jockey, and he will not lack for patronage as a trainer.

One hears from time to time about the remunerative sales, but the business is not all so glamorous. The well-bred Eagle's Home, who was second to Hubbub in the Kildare Maiden Plate, fetched only 7 gns., and has gone into John Kirwan's stable.

NEWMARKET RESULTS

12.30—**APPRENTICE HANDICAP**, £152. 1¼m.—**Glossary**, b. g. by Sir Cosmo—Gloss Cap. J. Jameson), 7-8 (W. Foster) (3/1), 1; Constellation II, 6-7 (L. Smith) (6/1), 2; Little Pip, 7-3 (N. Baxby), (9/4, fav.), 3; The Warren 4, Rosslyn, T. E. Leader. 3l.; 2l. 2 m. 14 1-5 secs.

1.0—**MAIDEN NURSERY STAKES**, £254. 5f.—**Majid**, gr. c. by Mahmoud—Ann of Austria (H.H. Aga Khan), 9-9 (D. Smith (100/6), 1; Dark Brocade, 8-6 (G. Richards) (3/1, fav.), 2; Slipa, 8-0 (F. O'Neill) (9/2), 3; Try-Out, 4, Royal Cheer, Ankaret f., Fascinator, Vient Presto, Silkylight, Tarot, Emblaze, Prize Poem, Girton Girl, Golden Labrador, Frank Butters. Short hd.; 4l 64 1-5 secs.

1.30—**RUTLAND HANDICAP**, £337. 7f.—**Ti-Chin**, ch. g. by Tai-yang—Jacqueline of Hainault (Mrs. G. R. Dawkins), 7-10 (J. Sime) (7/2, jt. fav.), 1; Fair Ease, 8-2 (D. Greening) (6/1), 2; Carryall, 8-8 (R. A. Jones) (100/8), 3; Starwood 4, Valiant Friar, Backbite (it. fav.), Gothic Chimes, Chanda, Lazy Way, Burning Bow, Sir Edward, British Museum, D. Waugh. 2l.; 3l. 1 m. 31 4-5 secs.

2.0—**BACK-END STAKES**, £199. 1m. 6f. 150 yds.—**Jennydang**, b. f., by Colombo—Dalmary (Maj. H. Cayzer), 8-9 (R. A. Jones) (100/30), 1; Longships, 9-6 (C. Richards), 2; Ruscus, 9-8 (D. Smith) (4/1), 3; High Table (5/4 fav.), Longrigaan, William Tell, Boyd-Rochford. 1l.; short hd. 3m. 26 3-5 secs.

2.30—**BUNBURY MILE NURSERY**, £363. 1m.—**Bronze Beauty**, ch. f., by Donatello II.—Solace (Sir A. Gordon-Smith), 8-6 (E. Smith) (5/2), 1; Tweets, 8-5 (W. Nevett) (10/1), 2; Royal Affaire c., 8-8 (T. H. Carey) (20/1), 3; Rainstorm g., 4; Bandra, Haberdashery, Church Bell, Little Sister c., Veracity (15/8 fav.), Eastgate, Pride o' the Moor f., Cosmo Lass f. J. Jarvis, Newmarket. 3l.; 2l. 1m. 48 secs.

3.0—**DALHAM T.Y.O. STAKES**, £220. 6f.—**Brush c.**, by Pay Up (Mr. J. S. Harrington), 8-12 (G. Richards) (9/2), 1; Stromness, 8-9 (H. Wragg) (9/2), 2; Babershah, 8-12 (D. Smith) (100/8), 3; Settle Quickly, Sticky Fingers, Fairy-like, Capretto, Exobuche c., Big Sam, Bipearl c., (8/1, fav.), Miss Quince c., Cimbrone, R. J. Colling. 1l.; 2l. 1m. 19 3-5 secs.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

I.L.G.U., Midland District—Foursomes Cup—Kilkenny (Miss McGuigan & Mrs. McHugh 28), 74; Carlow (Mrs. O'Neill 16, Miss McDonnell 18), 80.

Rathfarnham (Ladies)—Box finals—Mrs. Giddings 72, Mrs. Tuckey 74; best gross, Mrs. Cochrane 95.

Dun Laoghaire—Saturday—Medal, 9 holes, bogey; time sheet.

Bray—Saturday and Sunday—9 holes competition. **Ladies**—Medal, 12 holes—Mrs. Carrigg (22), 55 1-3; Mrs. Walters (21), 56. Monday next—White Elephant—12 holes, strokes; draw 2.30.

Foxrock (Ladies)—Medal. I.—Mrs. O'Reilly (3), 78. II.—Miss Seymour (24), 82.

Rugby Match Off.—The match arranged between St. Columba's College and the Old Columbans, which was to have taken place to-day, has been cancelled at the request of the college.

INTERESTING CUP SEMI-FINAL TO-DAY

Distillery hold an extraordinary position in Dublin football; they are not in the top league here—the League of Ireland—but play in the Leinster Senior League, being, therefore, officially juniors, yet they won the Leinster Senior Cup last season, removing teams, on their way who are regarded as being in a higher class to them. This afternoon, in the second semi-final for the same trophy, they will be in opposition to Drumcondra, at Shelbourne Park (3.30), and it is quite on the cards that they will qualify for the last stage again, where St. James's Gate are waiting.

No League of Ireland club can be confident of the outcome of a match against Distillery. In the previous round to this one they removed Shelbourne to the tune of 3 goals to 1, and Shelbourne subsequently finished in second place for the Shield. They were a sorely hustled and hustled team that day, however, and Drumcondra will have to play really good football if they are to win. One thing is certain—Distillery will set the pace, and if they score first, as they did against Shelbourne, it will be an interesting finish.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Leinster Cup, Semi-final—Drumcondra v. Distillery, Shelbourne Park, 3.30.

Colleges' League—Dublin University v. Atlanta, College, Seafield road, 4.15; Veterinary College v. U.C.D., Beaver's Row, Clonskeagh, 4.15.

Drumcondra—Flynn; O'Rourke, Clarke; O'Brien, McGlynn, O'Mara; Ward, Daly, McNamara, Dyer, Byrne.

KILDARE HOUNDS OPENING MEET

Johnstown Inn, yesterday, was the scene of the opening meet of the Kildare Hounds. There was quite a good attendance, followers arriving by varied forms of traps, phaetons, buggies and governess carts. Mr. C. Odlum has retired, and the Committee this season is in the hands of Sir Francis Brooke, M.F.H.; Mr. C. Mitchell and Commander W. B. Higginson. Among those present were:—Sir Francis Brooke, M.F.H.; Commander Higginson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Odlum, Major General Sir F. Fanshawe, Mrs. F. Boylan, Miss F. Boylan, Miss K. Clements, Mrs. Synnott, Mrs. McDermott, Mrs. Angel, the Rev. B. Handy and Mrs. Handy, Mrs. Eustace Mansfield, Miss E. Mansfield, Mrs. A. Sweetman, Mr. and Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. D. McGillycuddy, Mrs. R. Kennedy, Miss A. Kennedy, Miss S. Kennedy, Miss Colgan, Mrs. R. Mainguy, Mrs. J. McCarthy, Mr. C. M. O'Kelly, Miss Mary O'Kelly, Mr. C. de Burgh, Captain and Mrs. H. de Burgh, Miss C. de Burgh, Mr. J. Shackleton, Miss Shackleton and Miss Fetherstonhaugh.

KILKENNY HUNT OPENING

A feature of the opening meet of the Kilkenny Hounds at the Club House Hotel on Monday was the absence of motor cars. The number mounted was less than formerly, but the attendance on foot was greater than for some years past. The cub-hunting season was good, and prospects for a successful season are bright. Major McCalmont, M.C., the Master, drove in a horse trap from Mount Juliet with Mrs. McCalmont and her father, Major Nichols, and Miss Rich. Among those present were:—Captain and Mrs. Stopford, Mr. J. D. Smithwick, Lieutenant D. D. and Mrs. Williams, Lieutenant Terence Statham, Mr. and Mrs. P. Duggan, Mrs. H. Duggan, Messrs. James Poe, John Harte, F. J. Clohosey, W. A. Smithwick, T. G. Crotty and R. J. Nolan; Mr. and Mrs. George and Miss P. Statham, Dr. P. J. Cassin, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Godfrey, Mrs. J. H. Murdock and Miss Phair and Mr. A. G. Davis.

CURRAGH COMMAND BOXING

The Curragh Command championships were decided last night. Results of finals:—Fly-weight: Pte. Smith (Construction Corps) k.o. Pte. Darby (C.T.M. Depôt) in second round. Bantam: Corpl. Colbert (24th) beat Pte. Butler (Construction). Feather: Pte. Phillips (3rd) beat Pte. Byrnes (3rd). Light: Pte. O'Rourke (3rd) k.o. Pte. Smith (24th) in first round. Welter: Pte. Fitzgerald (3rd) beat Lieut. Draper (Cyclists). Middle: Pte. Callaghan (3rd) beat Sergt. Clarke (24th). Cruiser: Corpl. Ross (24th) beat Pte. Poole (Engineers), retired in third round.

HOCKEY FIXTURE

To-day—Three Rock Rovers B v. Dublin University B, Londonbridge road, 4.30.

Three Rock Rovers—J. Owens; J. Crooks, G. Brown; O. Penner, P. D. MacWeeney, J. Anderson; R. F. Egan, B. Kavanagh, C. Chamney, P. Shannon, D. Reeves Smyth.

Leinster Branch, I.H.U.—The monthly Branch Council meeting will be held to-night at 7 o'clock at Londonbridge road.

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ACTION AGAINST AN HOSPITAL

CASE FOR THE DEFENCE OPENED

The defence of the trustees of St. Michael's Hospital, Dun Laoghaire, in the action of Mrs. Winifred Davis, Cumberland street, Dun Laoghaire, against them, was opened before Mr. Justice Martin Maguire and a jury in the High Court, Dublin, yesterday afternoon, and had not concluded when the Court adjourned.

Mrs. Davis claimed damages against the trustees for alleged negligence in the treatment of her husband in the hospital following a fall from a scaffolding on May 28, 1941, and in his discharge on June 3, while he was, she said, still suffering from an undiagnosed fracture of the skull. He was re-admitted to the hospital on June 7, and died from meningitis the following day. The trustees denied the alleged negligence.

Mr. William Pearson, Professor of Surgery, Trinity College, Dublin, who had been called on behalf of Mrs. Davis on Monday, continued his evidence when the Court sat. Replying to Mr. Basil McGuckin, K.C., he said that on the facts of the present case he thought the discharge of Mr. Davis from hospital on June 3 possibly accelerated the man's death.

Cross-examined by Mr. Costello, K.C., for the trustees, he said he would not allow a patient in such a case to leave the hospital and go home unless the patient signed a statement.

Re-examined by Mr. McGuckin, he said that he had not the slightest doubt that meningitis had been contracted as a result of the fracture.

Dr. William Boxwell stated, in reply to Mr. J. M. Fitzgerald, K.C., for Mrs. Davis, that from the history of the case as he had heard it, he considered that the man's discharge from hospital had been rash.

Cross-examined by Mr. Barra O Briain, K.C., he said that he thought an X-ray ought to have been taken as a matter of routine, but he agreed that the radiological department of an hospital would not X-ray a patient without the direction of a medical man.

Dr. Frederick Ryan, Dun Laoghaire, said that on the night of June 4 Mr. Davis told him about the accident: that he had been walking about the hospital for four or five days, and had been told by the sister that he might as well go home, and that he had walked home.

Cross-examined by Mr. Costello, he said that Mr. Davis had made no complaint about having to leave the hospital.

THE DEFENCE

Opening the case for the trustees, Mr. Costello said that the hospital was carried on by the Sisters of Mercy as a charity. Mr. Davis had been discharged by Sister Pauline under the direction of a properly qualified medical man, and all that the authorities of the hospital or their agents could do was to carry out the orders of the medical staff. There had been no suggestion that any of the sisters had in any way been guilty of dereliction of duty.

Dr. Robert Davitt, physician, Jervis Street Hospital, stated in reply to Mr. Costello that it was not routine to have X-ray in head injuries. He thought that Mr. Davis was a carrier of germs giving rise to meningitis, and that the organisms were in the body before the accident.

Dr. Michael Moriarty, physician on the staff of St. Michael's Hospital, said that he did not directly associate the meningitis in this case with the accident; he thought the accident had reduced the man's vitality sufficiently to allow meningitis to develop, and meningitis might have developed apart from any fracture.

Cross-examined by Mr. McGuckin, he said that in the case of a man who had fallen from a scaffolding, who had a lump on his head and was suffering from dizziness, it would be natural to suspect a fracture.

Sister Pauline, sister in charge of the male surgical department of the hospital, stated in reply to Mr. William Fitzgerald that on the evening of June 2 Mr. Davis told her that "the doctor" had told him he could go, and, as Dr. Thore had told her that he was fit to go, she raised no protest to his going in the morning. It was not true that he had been discharged because his bed was wanted for another patient. Mr. Davis appeared normal when she saw him, and he did not make any complaint to her about his condition.

ULSTER BOXING TEAM FOR STADIUM

The visit of a team of Ulster boxers should fill the Stadium on Friday night; for the programme is particularly interesting, including, as it does, four Dublin youngsters who seem certain to come right to the front in the course of the next year or two. They are J. Collins and J. Buckley (fly-weights) and P. Byrne and B. Coughlan (feather-weights).

Collins, one of the outstanding juveniles of the last few seasons, meets W. Barnes, the most promising boy in the North, and, as each has beaten the other once, this will be a bout worth seeing. Since suffering the senior circles this season, Collins has been successful up to date, and Barnes will need to be very good to beat him. On his recent form against Collins, Buckley should have quite a chance against a more experienced opponent in W. R. Hall, who has shaped well in his previous appearances at the Stadium. An aggressive, hard-hitter, Byrne, who beat Coughlan recently, should be too strong for J. King, but Coughlan has a tough assignment to tackle in T. Pudge, who got the better of him in Belfast recently after an exceptionally clever display.

There seems to be nobody in this country capable of mastering Dowdell, and Hadfield will probably suffer the customary fate of the Islandbridge boxer's opponents, but W. Smith, a south paw of considerable strength and ability, ought to be able to out-point V. Black, whose attack is deteriorating. Unless Capewell has a very strong defence, he is likely to find Colman's body punches extremely unpleasant. These are two well-matched teams, and a 4-3 margin to the Dublin men seems likely.

In addition, there are two attractive special contests, A. Delahunt, the feather-weight champion, meeting Private McCullagh, and P. F. Horan, the junior middle-weight title-holder, taking on Woodbyrne, who recently out-pointed M. Sadlier, the senior champion. The programme is as follows:—

Fly-weight—W. Barnes v. J. Collins (Avona); W. R. Hall v. J. Buckley (St. Vincent's).

Feather—T. Pudge v. B. Coughlan (Arbour Hill); J. King v. P. Byrne (C.B.S.).

Light—T. Hadfield v. Cpl. P. Dowdall (Islandbridge).

Welter—W. Smith v. Cpl. V. Black (Baldonnel).

Cruiser—C. Capewell v. G. Colman (North City).

Special Contests—Feather: A. Delahunt (Corinthians) v. Pte. M. McCullagh (Athlone). Middle: P. F. Horan (Mountmellick) v. P. Woodbyrne (St. Andrew's).

HAROLD'S CROSS GREYHOUNDS

525 YDS.—Dondera Duskie (6), 1/3, 1; Mikado Jane (5), 3/1, 2; Hell of a Racket (3), 5/2, 3. Bit of Fillet (2), 5/1, 4; Rippling Silver (1), 6/1, 5; Big Tank (4), 5/1, 6. 4l.; 2l. 31.67.

525 YDS.—Drumarigna Lass (1), 6/4, 1; Lucky Mag (2), 4/1, 2; Serene Highness (4), 6/1, 3. Very Distinctive (3), 5/2, 4; Uppercross Peg (5), 6/1, 5; Tower Ginger (6), 5/1, 6. 2l.; jt. 32.25.

525 YDS.—Rustic Light (3), 1/1, 1; Yankee Hobo (5), 2/1, 2; Bubble's Fancy (1), 5/1, 3. Garrenstacle Hero (4), 6/1, 4; Up Creeve (2), 5/1, 5. jt. 3l. 30.78.

525 YDS.—Little Nellie Kelly (6), 9/4, 1; Oosh Lass (1), 4/1, 2; Ginger Pat (3), 3/1, 3. Scullean Leader (5), 3/1, 4; Wise Lorraine (2), 5/2, 5; O'Donnell Abu (4), 10/1, 6. 31.01.

525 YDS.—Speedy Woman (2), 5/4, 1; Flying Bessie (1), 4/1, 2; Bham (5), 5/1, 3. Step Together (6), 2/1, 4; Pepper Shaker (3), 8/1, 5; Pretty Pickaniny (4), 8/1, 6. 2l.; 2l. 31.20.

350 YDS.—Main Captain (4), 5/2, 1; Last Councillor (2), 6/4, 2; Star of Clare (5), 5/1, 3. Wireless Regent (3), 5/2, 4; Real Ned (1), 6/1, 5. 3l.; 3l. 20.31.

Correction.—Merry Two Star, which ran second to Lady Margaret at Shelbourne Park, on Saturday night, was beaten by 2 lengths, and not by 6 lengths as previously reported.

RUGBY CLUB RECORDS

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Points. F.	A.
Bective Rangers	5	4	1	0	43	24
N.I.F.C.	4	3	1	0	46	30
St. Mary's	5	3	1	1	26	15
Old Wesley	5	3	1	1	46	18
Wanderers	5	3	2	0	52	33
Old Belvedere	5	3	2	0	45	39
Dolphin	3	2	0	1	26	15
U.C.D.	3	2	0	1	24	8
Queen's Univ.	3	2	1	0	43	28
U.C.D.	4	2	1	1	28	14
Palmerston	5	2	2	1	16	20
Lansdowne	5	2	3	0	17	33
Garryowen	1	1	0	0	7	3
Malone	3	1	1	1	16	9
Dublin Univ.	4	1	2	1	23	28
Civil Service	2	1	1	0	14	16
Co'egians	2	1	1	0	6	12
Sunday's Well	3	1	2	0	32	13
Clontarf	4	1	3	0	27	19
Instonians	4	1	3	0	16	33
Blackrock	5	1	3	1	19	34
Curragh Command	1	0	1	0	0	13
Monkstown	5	0	4	1	17	77
Young Munsters	2	0	1	1	3	17
Constitution	3	0	3	0	15	33

The second United States Merchant Marine casualty list, covering from August 2 to October 21, gives 283 names—32 dead and 251 missing—bringing to 2,584—442 dead and 2,142 missing—the number of merchant seamen lost with United States vessels since September 27, 1941.

KERRYMAN'S TRIAL AT SPECIAL COURT

THE trial was resumed yesterday, before a military court, of Maurice O'Neill (25), Cahirciveen, Co. Kerry, who is pleading not guilty to charges of shooting at the police on the night of October 24th.

When a Detective-Officer told the court that at one period during the fight a hatless man was within a yard and a half of him in a passage-way between gardens at the back of Holly road, where the shooting took place, Mr. Sean MacBride, for O'Neill, asked: "Has it struck you since that that figure possibly was that o' Detective-Officer Mordaunt?" The witness said no, but admitted that it was quite possible that for some of the time Mordaunt was in the passage-way under the fire of police officers, "but," added the witness, "Mordaunt had been wearing a hat." The officer said that he was quite certain that Mordaunt could not have been one of the two men he saw in the passage.

A ballistics expert said that O'Neill's revolver had a fault which rendered it inaccurate.

THE PURSUIT

The pursuit of the man who escaped was described by an officer, who said that he saw this man standing, with a pistol in his hand, at a doorway in Oak road. A little girl was standing close by, and she screamed when the man fired a shot at the officer. The man then went through a hedge, and the officer fired after him. "When I looked over the hedge," said the witness, "I saw a man's hand move along the railing of the garden. The man vaulted over the rail, and I fired again. He seemed to roll into the garden, and, thinking that he was wounded, I ran towards the garden, but the man ran out of a garden further up, across the road, and into a *cul-de-sac*.

A number of people residing in the district, including a 20 years old girl and two other women, told of encounters with a tall dark man. The girl was ironing clothes in the diningroom of her home when she heard shots, which she thought were slap-bangs. Then she heard a shot outside the back door, and immediately afterwards a rattle at the back gate. "I heard the back door open and a man put his head in. I screamed and ran upstairs. The man was tall, with dark hair and moustache, without a hat." Another woman said that when she went into her kitchen she heard heavy breathing and saw a man there. "He seemed very nervous," she said, "and when I told him that he would have to go out he went. Before he went he took what looked like a flashlamp out of his pocket. He was tall and dark and had a moustache."

TWO LODGERS

A third woman said that O'Neill, giving the name Maurice O'Donnell, stayed as a lodger in her house from the beginning of September, and a fortnight after another man arrived. They paid her 30s. a week. After some time they said they were leaving, "because," they said, "there were too many detectives around." They left on October 19th, leaving two boxes and a Gestetner machine behind them.

The trial will be continued to-day.

INDUSTRIALS FORGE AHEAD

PUBLIC interest was on a broad scale on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and markets presented an active appearance. Local securities continued in strong demand, and further sharp rises were recorded among Industrials. British Industrials also advised good from the other side.

Government Funds were well maintained, and British Funds tended higher, with 3½ per cent. War Loan 104¾. More business was passing in Banks. Hibernians advanced to 44/6, and Nationals hardened to 43/3, while Provincial New jumped 5/6 to 46/-.

Guinness units were strongly favoured and finished 1/3 up at 114/-. Distillers Ord. jumped 1/6 to 83/6. Rails continued fairly brisk. Great Northern Ord. eased to 28¾, the Pref. to 49½, and the Gtd. to 64. Great Southern Gtd. fell 15/- to 52¼.

Alliance Gas Ord. moved up to 20/9, while Johnston, Mooney Ord. gained 1/- to 28/-, and the Deb. 7/6 at 10. Draperies were still prominent on sustained support. Pim Bros. Ord. spurted 7/4½ to 9/6, and the Pref. 4/6 to 37/6. Crowe, Wilson Ord. firmed up to 17/6, and Todd, Burns Ord. to 13/6.

E. and J. Burke Deb. fell 2

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE. Nightly at 7.15. Matinee Sat., 2.30.
RETAINED 2nd WEEK.
HILTON EDWARDS
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Nightly at 7.15 p.m. (Exactly), Matinee, Saturday, 2.30 p.m.
"JACOB'S LADDER."
By LAURENCE HOUSMAN.

METROPOLE To-day at 2.45, 4.55, 7.5 & 9.10
SHIRLEY TEMPLE in
"MISS ANNIE ROONEY."
Shirley grown up is lovelier than Ever.

GRAFTON Continuous, 2 to 10.30. 2.0, 4.25, 6.40, 9.5.
FREDRIC MARCH—LORETTA YOUNG
"BEDTIME STORY."
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THEATRE DE LUXE Dublin's Super Cinema—3-10.30 p.m.
Lloyd Nolan and Priscilla Lane
"BLUES IN THE NIGHT."
Joe Sawyer in "BROOKLYN ORCHID."

CORINTHIAN.
Richard Cromwell in "RIOT SQUAD," 2.27, 4.51, 7.15, 9.39.
Tom Neal in "THE MIRACLE KID," 3.33, 5.57, 8.21.

ASTORIA DUN LAOGHAIRE. Con., 3.15-10.30 p.m.
Wendy Barrie—"WOMEN IN WAR."
Gene Autry—"SIERRA SUE."
Thurs.: Brian Aherne, Madeleine Carroll in "MY SON, MY SON!"

QUEEN'S—Stage: All-star Variety, Local Talent on Parade. At 4.30 and 7.30. Screen: Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., in "The Corsican Brothers." Alexandre Dumas' Greatest Adventure Story. Showing at 2.30, 5.35 and 8.40.

GREEN—3.0, 5.40, 8.20—Gary Cooper, Madeleine Carroll, Rbt. Preston, "NORTH-WEST MOUNTED POLICE."

GRESHAM HOTEL SATURDAY DANCES, 8 to MIDNIGHT.
Dance only 5/-. Supper and Dance 10/-.
Gresham Hotel Orchestra, conducted by Jimmie Masson, with Mollie O'Connor and Peter, singing.
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PRACTICAL BEE-KEEPING—Second Lecture by R. N. TWEEDY, Beemaster, 3.30 p.m., 5th inst., at THE COUNTRY SHOP, 23 St. Stephen's Green. Admission, 1/-.

ROYAL Film at 2.40, 6.15, 9.20. Show at 4.5, 7.45.
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"THE GOLD RUSH"
With Words and Music.

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ROBERT DONAT.
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"WALTZES FROM VIENNA."
At 2.40, 4.50, 7.0 9.10.
Also CHAPLIN in
"CHARLIE THE TRAMP."

CAPITOL To-day, at 3.0, 5.8, 7.16, 9.24.
LUPE VELEZ and LEO CARRILLO, in
"HONOLULU LU."
Charles Starrett in "The Doctor's Alibi."
Restaurant & Tea Lounge: Open till 11.30.

ADELPHI Showing at 2.0, 4.55, 7.50.
VAN HEFLIN, PATRICIA DANE in
"GRAND CENTRAL MURDER."
And "MUCH TOO SHY."
With George Formby. At 3.23, 6.18, 9.13

CARLTON Last Two Days! 3.30, 6.20, 9.5.
James Mason in "The Night Has Eyes."
Also "TOP SERGEANT MULLIGAN."
Coming Friday:
"The Man Who Returned To Life."

PAVILION Dun Laoghaire, Con. 3.0 to 10.30 p.m.
To-day: Laraine Day in "CHINA CARAVAN." Also "SECRET OF G-52."
Thursday: Loretta Young, Conrad Veidt in "THE MEN IN HER LIFE."

REGENT CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
"KEEP 'EM FLYING."
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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

EMERGENCY POWERS (No. 236) ORDER, 1942.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 3rd November, 1942, the Government made the above-named Order, the purpose of which is to increase as from and including the 11th November, 1942, the weekly rates of Unemployment Assistance payable under the Unemployment Assistance Acts, 1933 to 1940, to persons who have dependents within the meaning of those Acts and who reside in districts in which the Food Voucher Scheme does not operate, that is, districts other than county boroughs, boroughs, urban districts and towns having Commissioners under the Towns Improvement (Ireland) Act, 1854.

Copies of the Order will be on sale shortly.

Department of Industry and Commerce, 3rd November, 1942.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

HUBERT WALDRON POTTERTON, late of Balatalion, Kildalkey, in the County of Meath, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Hubert Waldron Potterton, Deceased, who died on the 10th day of June, 1942, are hereby required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1942, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors, Sir Henry Norman Potterton and William Agnew Beers, Esquires, the Executors of the Will of said Deceased, to whom Probate thereof was granted on the 12th day of October, 1942, forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 15th day of December, 1942, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 29th day of October, 1942.

ROOKE & BEERS, Solicitors for said Executors, 6 Merrion square, Dublin.

CHURCH NOTICES.

ANGLICAN & EASTERN CHURCHES ASSOCIATION (Irish Branch).

ANNUAL MEETING,

ST ANDREW'S HALL, SUFFOLK ST., MONDAY NEXT, NOV. 9th, 3.30 p.m.

THE REV. ALEXIS VAN DER MENSBRUGGHE WILL SPEAK.

Chairman:

THE REV. PROFESSOR HARTFORD, B.D.

COLLECTION.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

ASSOCIATION OF OPHTHALMIC OPTICIANS, IRELAND.

A GENERAL MEETING OF ALL OPTICIANS
(Sight-Testing and Dispensing)
WILL BE HELD IN
JURY'S HOTEL,
On FRIDAY NEXT,
6th NOVEMBER, 1942.
At 8 p.m.
TO CONSIDER THE INTENDED HEALTH INSURANCE SCHEME FOR "OPTICAL BENEFIT."

MANSION HOUSE COAL FUND.
THE ANNUAL MEETING
OF THE
MANSION HOUSE COAL FUND
WILL BE HELD IN
THE MANSION HOUSE,
On FRIDAY NEXT,
6th NOVEMBER, 1942,
AT 4 O'C.
YOU ARE INVITED TO BE PRESENT.

COLLEGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.
OPENING MEETING, TO-NIGHT (WEDNESDAY)
NO FURTHER TICKETS CAN BE ISSUED FOR THE DINING HALL, BUT THE MEETING WILL BE RELAYED TO THE GRADUATES' MEMORIAL BUILDING, AT 8.15 p.m., WHERE TICKETS WILL NOT BE REQUIRED.

PATENT.
THE Proprietors of Patent No. 15,939 for "IMPROVEMENTS IN OR RELATING TO LUBRICANTS" desire to enter into arrangements by way of Licence on reasonable terms for the purpose of exploiting the invention and ensuring its full development and practical working in this country.
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THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, LOWER LEESON STREET.
A SERVICE OF HEALING
Will be held This (Wednesday) Afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THEORY AND PRACTICE

The theory of the scientist, or of common-sense, shares with practice the individualistic point of view in which the subject regards himself as faced by an external world. . . Theorising about this world, he frames what he regards as appropriate universal conceptions, and tries to verify them by particular experience, said Mr. F. La Touche Godfrey, M.A., F.T.C.D., in the course of a paper, "Theory and Practice," which he read at the fourteenth annual meeting of the Metaphysical Society, held in the Graduates' Memorial Building, Trinity College, yesterday.

Practice, on the other hand, tried to overcome the opposition between subject and objective world by altering the latter to harmonise with the ideals of the subject. Neither the theory of the scientist nor the life of practice could be regarded as successful. They belonged to finite experience, and they were transcended in philosophy, which seeks to know the absolutely real and perfect Being which is the source and mainstay both of the individual subject and of the world of nature.

Speaking to the paper, the Archbishop of Dublin (Most Rev. A. W. Barton, D.D.) posed the question whether the philosopher was the best person for getting things done. It depended, he said, on whether the thoughts of the philosopher were leading to action. The best way, really, to get things done was to work in pairs—one to do the dreaming and the other to translate the dreams into action.

Professor W. R. Fearon, M.A., also spoke. The Rev. A. A. Luce, D.D., Professor of Moral Philosophy, President of the Society, presided.

ORGAN RECITAL

A very enjoyable organ recital was given in Bray Methodist Church last Monday evening in connection with the organ fund. Dr. Havelock Nelson was at the organ, and was assisted by Miss Evelyn Nesbitt (soprano); Miss Betty Sullivan (cello) and the Harding String Quintet. The Rev. M. J. Lewis presided, and there was a good attendance.

KING OF THE BELGIANS

Yesterday morning, the 3rd of November, on the occasion of the birthday of H.M. King Leopold III., the Belgian Minister received the Belgian colony at the Belgian Legation.

The Minister addressed his compatriots at the conclusion of the reception. A telegram in the name of the colony was sent to the Belgian Government in London.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	9.24	10. 8
Evening	9.39	10.17

"THE IMPRESARIO"

A new operetta called "The Impresario," by D. J. Giltinan and Harold R. White ("Dermot Macmurrough"), will be produced by the Rathmines and Rathgar Musical Society during their season beginning on November 9, at the Gaiety Theatre. The libretto is a satire on operatic singers, their jealousies, their vanities and their temperamental eccentricities. The impresario is anxious to induce a certain prima donna and a prima tenore to sign a contract to sing in opera, but the two artists are violently antagonistic to one another. In order to bring them to a state of amity he has recourse to magic. He causes them both to drink from the loving cup of Isolda, under whose temporary influence he hopes to encourage them to sign the contract. The impresario's charming and intriguing private secretary makes use of the opportunity to inflame the affections of her boss, with whom she is in love. The music is bright and animated, and lightly scored for strings, wind and horns. There are four characters: The Impresario (Arshur Healy), the Secretary (Therese Warner), the Prima Donna (Eileen Clancy), and the Prima Tenore (Richard Midgeley). The operetta will be given in conjunction with Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Sorcerer."

BRAY COUNCIL HOUSES

In connection with a motion moved by Mr. D. Sayers at a meeting of Bray Urban Council last night, dealing with matters relating to dwelling houses under the jurisdiction of the Council, the Town Clerk (Sean MacCathmhaoil) said the Co. Manager had informed him that he had taken completely into his own hands the letting of the houses. He would, however, be happy to receive any recommendation by the Council.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL. — 10. Matins, Litany. 4. Evensong. Men's voices.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins. 3. Evensong. Men's voices only.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—9.45, Intercession. 11.30, H.C.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street (the Church's Ministry of Healing).—8, H.C. 3, Healing Service, with Laying-on of Hands and Address.

ST. WERBURGH'S CHURCH. — 8 o'clock, Evening Prayer.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Lr. Baggot street, is branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. Services: Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday: Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily, except Saturdays, from 2 to 5; Sundays, 6.30 7.30 p.m.

Agricultural Prices.—The Agricultural Price Index Number for September, 1942, was 192.1 (base 1911-13=100), compared with 178.0 in August, 1942, and 160.7 in September, 1941.

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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4, 1942.

The Desert Struggle

British bulletins from the Western desert during the last few days have been exceptionally cautious in their tone. Manifestly, General Alexander has no intention to follow the example of former commanders who have been inclined to exaggerate their early successes, and, if anything, he seems to be going to the opposite extreme. The Eighth Army has been in action now for ten days. It has been engaged in a frontal assault on Marshal Rommel's strongly-held position between the coast and the Qattara depression, and so far, at any rate, there can be no question of a general break through. The difficulties of penetration are appalling; for Marshal Rommel and his generals have little to learn about the science of defence in depth, and they have had plenty of time since last June to fortify their positions. Nevertheless, it would seem that the British have been making steady, if unspectacular, progress since the end of last week. In the North they were able to hem in a strong detachment of Germans and Italians between the railway line and the sea; and yesterday it was reported that General Montgomery's infantry had made a sudden thrust to the south of this position, advancing for several miles. Apparently a kind of bridgehead has been established in this area. Its extent is unknown at the moment; but the British claim to have taken a substantial number of prisoners, and to be in a position now to wage a war of manœuvre behind the German-Italian lines. According to the reports of the German News Agency, General Montgomery, having managed to pierce Marshal Rommel's lines in some places, tried to exploit his successes by a large-scale tank attack. Five hundred tanks, some of which were of the latest American design, were flung into the battle, and British forces succeeded in one or two places in reaching the rear of the *Afrika-korps*. Marshal Rommel, however, never lost his grip of the situation. He waited until the British had more or less spent themselves, and then used his tanks in "an annihilating flank thrust." The ensuing struggle, in the words of the German report, was of "unimaginable bitterness"; but the British attack was foiled. General Montgomery's attempt to break through the German-Italian positions already has been frustrated, and, at a "cautious estimate," he has lost at least one-third of the total number of tanks at his disposal. The official reports of the German and Italian Commands are not quite so emphatic in their claims as those of the German News Agency. The British *communiqués* are so laconic that they give hardly any detailed information; but it would seem that the Eighth Army is following its prearranged programme in a methodical way, realising, in the words of a Cairo message, that the penetration of Marshal Rommel's main positions will be "a tough business," and that any attempt to force the pace easily might be disastrous. While this vital struggle is in progress, it has been announced in Berlin that the Italian Marshal Bastico has become Commander-in-Chief of the German-Italian forces in North Africa. Since the retirement of Marshal Graziani, it has been understood that Marshal Rommel has been in supreme command of all the German and Italian forces in the Western desert, but Marshal Bastico told a German correspondent some days ago that command of the German-Italian Panzer divisions had been subordinated to the Italian Supreme Command. He added that "there is complete collaboration, with a spirit of comradeship, between Italian and German troops." The significance of this change in the High Command is not clear. Marshal Rommel undoubtedly is back in North Africa; for he was reported the other day to have led an attack on General Montgomery's forces in person.

The Best Age

A man likes to think that he is at his best round about the age which he carries at the time of thinking about it. Some years ago the eugenics authority, Professor Karl Pearson, expressed the opinion that a man was at his best at twenty-seven years of age, and was assailed without hesitation by men who felt youthful at 45, 60 and even 77. "Wouldn't it be dreadful if it were true?" asked George Robey. A Harley street specialist, making his anonymous contribution to the discussion with the natural modesty of Harley street specialists, said: "It would be a bad day for England if Professor Pearson were right. A man is just as young and alert as he makes himself. It is largely a matter of diet, habits and work." It seems to be impossible to lay down rules about what, actually, is the most useful period of a man's life. The Younger Pitt was Prime Minister at 24 years of age, Alexander was looking for his fresh worlds to conquer, in the words of the fable, when he was little more than thirty, and Adolf Hitler, to take a modern example, was well under fifty when he came to power. The Irish Free State was a creation of young men; Eire is a creation of somewhat older men; while Northern Ireland, since its inception, has been governed by men tending towards the "seventies." What chance would a man of Pitt's age have in England to-day? Even if Pitt himself had been born in 1918 he would be regarded to-day as too youthful to be considered even as a candidate for Parliament. Winston Churchill, by the standards of Professor Pearson, would be regarded as an old man. Lloyd George, the most trusted of all in Britain during the conflict of 1914-18, was showing more grey hairs than black. Rules about men's best years are impossible to frame, but recent history indicates that in the majority of cases men seem to do their outstanding work—in politics, anyway—when they have passed the sixty mark. It is different in art, in literature and business. In any of those engagements brilliance may be an asset of either youth or age. However, the majority of people have no wish to shine in politics, art, literature or business. They merely want to feel "good," as the Americans express it; to impress socially and to be credited with amatory charms like a young Greek. Gilbert Frankau has placed the "dangerous years" in a man's life around forty-five. He may have been around forty-five when he expressed that view. Still, he is supported by the anonymous Harley street specialist, who said: "A man's best age ought to be, and generally is, about forty-five." A lot depends upon whether one is thinking of Rugby football, golf, musical criticism, the direction of government or the appreciation of choice wine.

Leaving Certificate

Figures have now been issued for this year's Leaving Certificate Examination, which reveal that the total number of candidates who sat for the examination was 3,627. Of these, 1,989 were boys and 1,068 were girls. Of these candidates 2,760, or about 76.5 *per cent.*, passed the examination. This appears to be a proper and satisfactory proportion, indicating that on this ground there is no lack of consonance between the standard of the schools and the standard required by the examiners. A more detailed inquiry into the marks, however, reveals the fact that of those who passed the examination, no less than 70 *per cent.* of the boys and 78 *per cent.* of the girls secured the honours certificate. Of the 1,989 boys who passed the examination, only 407 failed to get honours; of the 1,638 girls who passed, the number of simple pass certificates was only 265. From these figures it seems, if words are to be given their plain and apparently obvious meaning, that more than three in every four students who sit for the Leaving Certificate examination are above the average standard. This, however, is meaningless; for on what can the average be based but the capacity of the students? This year is not an exceptional one. Similar figures have been published for this examination over a period of several years. If the results published by the Department of Education are to be taken at their face value, we are blessed at the present time with a wave of young people of outstanding ability leaving our schools; but this is a misinterpretation. In fact, it seems that the standard of the examination is set not by any estimation of the average ability and knowledge of students of seventeen or eighteen years of age, but by some purely arbitrary rule of the Department. It is clear that, even if the standard of national education improves from year to year, the standard of the final school examination, or, at least, the standard of marking, must be adjusted to meet that improvement. It is not possible to take either the average of any one year, or any requirement laid down by the theoreticians of the Department, as a hard and fast standard for all subsequent generations. The present system may conduce to the mental well-being of officials, headmasters, and parents, and it may assist immeasurably in the advertising campaigns of the schools and colleges. The fact remains that it is misleading to the world in general, and in particular to prospective employers, who are entitled to suppose that a boy or girl who holds a honours leaving certificate is, at least, above the average.

LADY NASH, who has been staying in Dublin, has returned to Shannon View, Co. Limerick.

The Hon. Mrs. Bellew has arrived in Dublin from Barmeath Castle, Co. Louth, and is staying at the Shelbourne Hotel.

Mrs. A. J. MacGillycuddy has returned to Flesk Castle, Killarney, from Dublin.

Mrs. Chetwood-Aiken and her daughter, Miss B. Chetwood-Aiken, have arrived in Dublin from Woodbrook, Portarlington.

Mrs. Chaytor, who has arrived in Dublin from Smithstown, Dunshaughlin, is staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

The Duchesse de Stacpoole, has arrived in Dublin from Tobertynan, Co. Meath.

Mr. Denis Eccles has arrived in Dublin from England.

Mr. Desmond West has left Dublin for Northern Ireland, *en route* for England.

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MODERATORSHIPS
TRINITY COLLEGE

Results of the Michaelmas Term Moderatorship Examinations are announced as follows:—

Mental and Moral Science.—First Class—Luce, John Victor; Magill, Waller Brian Brendan; Maguire, Benjamin Waldo; Champ, Cyril Bruce. Second Class—Parr, James Edwin Cecil; Browne, Norman Desmond, and Roundtree, Samuel William (equal); Fleming, Samuel Stuart; Campbell, Charles; Wright, Robina; Morton, Alfred Curry, George Christopher. Third Class—Macdonald, Henry George Warren; Fennell, Harold Hugh James; Brandon, Ernest Arthur. Allowed Degree, Unclassed—Crawford, Maurice Victor.

Modern History and Political Science. — First Class — Green, Edward Rodney, Richey; O'Sullivan, William; Gwynn, Beatrice Violet; Lieven, Alexander. Second Class—Ross, John Nathaniel; Bird, John Ronald; Stokes, Robert Richard; Knowles, Moira Graham; Donnelly, James Alexander; Williams, Joseph Day; Harrison, Edith Elizabeth; Garnett, Patrick Francis; Hunter, Jeanie McClement, and Pyper, Aileen Ann (equal). Third Class—Strong, Cecil James; Eadie, Rachel Marion.

Modern Literature.—First Class—Finney, James; Bill, Agnes Margaret; Millar, Thomas Greenaway and Bradford, Robert Hamilton (equal); Falconer, Nessa; Lieven, Alexander and Harrison, Samuel John Charles (equal); Gwynn, Hannah; Brooks, James Leslie; Hadden, Ivy Margaret. Second Class—Peterson, Aubrey Neville; Turner, Robert Edgar; Weir, Elizabeth Olive Ethel Stuart; McBride, Sara Vonla Adair; Coffey, Mabel Jane; Warnock, Sarah; McGuckin, Edna Boyd; Hill, Anna Mary Seaton; Hobson, Marjorie Joyce; Hill, Jean Ann Bryce; Galbraith, Pauline Millicent. Third Class—Mathews, Ellinor Leney; Lethbridge, Sophia Lilian.

Supplemental Moderator.—Second Class—Mortimer, Mark Patterson.

Legal Science. — Second Class—Johnston, Robert William Roche; Kelly, John William Basil; Udoma, Egbert Udo. Third Class—Eadie, Eric Sutcliffe. Supplemental Moderator. — Third Class — Moore, Henry Denis. Allowed Degree, Unclassed—Kester, John Adedapo Adejumobi.

Celtic Languages. — Supplemental Moderator. — First Class — Falconer, Sheila.

Economics and Political Science.—Second Class — McKeever, Dorothy Hazel.

DUBLIN SKETCHING CLUB
A VARIED EXHIBITION

The Dublin Sketching Club includes amateur as well as professional artists among its members, and it is beginning to open its doors to contemporary art influences. There is, in consequence, quite a large measure of variety and freshness in its 68th exhibition, which was opened by Mr. Thomas McGreevy at Mills' Hall on Monday. It is not, perhaps, as exciting as the "free for all" exhibition of the Water-colour Society last season, which gained so much in interest from the conjunction of the academic and the modernist approaches; but this year's selection committee has shown unwonted enterprise and courage, and must be congratulated on the results. It is to be hoped that the club will go on and go further along the same lines.

With over 150 exhibits, it is not possible to enumerate all the agreeable and meritorious works included, but reference must be made to the familiar, yet here particularly noteworthy, poise and accomplishment that mark the work of the President of the Hibernian Academy; and though some water-colours by the club's hon. secretary, Mr. Ernest Hayes, A.R.H.A., are rather over-elaborated—as tends to be the way with an oil painter's water-colours—they have excellent design and are full of light. Mr. C. M. Doran, on the other hand, is tending to greater simplification, to the great advantage of his work. His colour, too, gains in harmony and his design in power. Mrs. Brendan O'Brien's exhibits include an oil study, "Gorteen Bay, Connemara," which has a charming pearly quality of colour; and an unfinished oil study by Mr. Charles Kelly suggests that the light-hearted genius of *Dublin Opinion* shares in the pre-occupation with the problem of structural form in landscape that marks the work of more outwardly serious artists. Among exhibits by less familiar artists mention should be made of "Arches, Casablanca," by M. Wharton, as effectively as economically stated, and the pleasingly colourful "Sketch at Sandycove," by Kathleen Ennis.

DANCES
U.C.D. STUDENTS

The annual conferring dance of University College, Dublin, was held last night, under the auspices of the Students' Representative Council, in the Aula Maxima, 86 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, where over 600 guests were present. The music was provided by Jim Bacon's band.

Among those present were: The Minister for Local Government and Public Health and Mrs. Sean MacEntee, the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress, Alderman A. Byrne, T.D., and Miss Byrne, Professor E. Sheridan, Dr. and Mrs. MacCarvill, Professor Bannan, Professor and Mrs. McGilligan, Professor and Mrs. O'Connor, Professor and Mrs. O'Farrell, Miss Greene, Dr. P. J. McNally, Dr. G. L. O'Malley, Dr. B. Murray, Dr. J. J. Stuart, Dr. and Mrs. L. Roche, Professor and Mrs. Keenan, Professor and Mrs. M. Tierney, Professor and Mrs. J. J. Hogan, Professor A. O'Farrelly, and Professor and Mrs. O'Kelly.

CASSIDY AND CO.

There was a large attendance at the annual staff dance of Cassidy and Co., George's street, in the Gresham Hotel last night.

The attendance included Mr. L. Cassidy (proprietor) and Mrs. Cassidy, the Lord Mayor, Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D., and Mrs. Doyle; Mr. and Mrs. J. Cassidy, the Misses Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh, Alderman A. Byrne, T.D., and Miss Byrne; Mr. and Mrs. E. McCarron, Mr. A. Connolly, Dr. and Mrs. Coolican, Mr. and Mrs. J. Costello, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Tully, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. O'Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. Mulhern, Mr. and Mrs. McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. D. Coyle, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Munden, Mr. and Mrs. D. Mulcahy, Mr. and Mrs. K. Mulcahy, Miss Marlboro, Miss Mansfield, Mr. Doherty, Miss Lawlor, Miss Murphy, Miss D. Byrne, Miss M. Dalton, Mr. Doran.

WEDDING

EGAN-BOURKE — KIERNAN.—Dr. Eamon Egan-Bourke, St. Leonard's Hospital, London, son of Mrs. and the late Mr. Edmond Bourke, of County Limerick, was married to Miss Joan Kiernan, younger daughter of Mrs. Kiernan, of Dublin, and of the late Mr. William J. Kiernan, at Brompton Oratory, London, yesterday. The Very Rev. Father J. L. Cotter, O.S.A., Prior of St. Monica's, Hoxton, London, N., officiated at the ceremony and was celebrant of the Nuptial Mass. The bride was given away by Professor Louis Wilkinson. Her sisters, Miss Bernedette Kiernan and Mrs. Rollo Biddulph were the bridesmaid and maid of honour, and Dr. T. D. Drew was best man. A reception was given by the bride's mother. The honeymoon is being spent in the South of England.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR
"THE LAWS OF LIFE"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your correspondent, E. J. Little, seems unable to believe that the above book, banned here as indecent, was sanctioned for Catholic readers by the Westminster Diocesan Council, under the control of Cardinal Hinsley. It is, nevertheless, a fact. If Mr. Little still refuses to credit it (and one can well understand his incredulity) he may, as I did, make enquiries direct to London.—Yours, etc.,

SEAN O'FAOLAIN.

Dublin,
November 3rd, 1942.

FIANNA FAIL

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Dr. T. F. O'Higgins is a master of the difficult art of speaking with his tongue in his cheek. For instance—the other day he seethed with well-simulated wrath because at last the Government Party has seen fit to defend itself against its attackers.

Since the outbreak of the war, in the interests of national unity, Fianna Fail has borne in silence a continuous barrage of abuse and misrepresentations, underground and overground, and Fianna Fail's opponents have made good use of their opportunity. No wonder Dr. O'Higgins is annoyed when Fianna Fail decides to hit back!

The Government Party delayed organising itself against these attacks (carried out under cover of the flag of truce), until it became apparent that there was an obvious danger to the national interest—until it became apparent that there was a danger of the national *moral* being weakened by the deliberate propagation of discontent and the manufacture of grievances, resorted to for the sole purpose of forwarding sectional interest.

The time has now arrived for Fianna Fail to come out actively to safeguard the national position and to ensure that the Irish people will not be stampeded into courses of action which might do permanent damage to the position which the Government has won for the nation.

Whether Dr. O'Higgins and his colleagues decide for or against a general election, they may rest assured that the Fianna Fail Party will take whatever steps may be necessary to ensure that the Irish people will be in possession of all the facts, and that it will be no longer a case of "stones loose and dogs tied!"—Yours, etc.

JAMES B. LYNCH, M.B., T.D.
Leinster House, Dublin.
October 30th, 1942.

GATE THEATRE
"JACOB'S LADDER"

The story of Jacob, as told by Laurence Housman, makes, on the whole, a most impressive play. It is best in its opening scenes—that portion of the story which remains most familiar to us, and so comes more easily to life in dramatic form. We see Isaac and his sons, Esau and Jacob, the father loving the first-born, and the mother, Rebekah, the younger son; and then the selling by Esau to Jacob of his birthright for the mess of pottage. This portion, too, was made magnificently real and tender by Michael Ripper's playing of the ageing Isaac—a grand performance indeed; while Nora O'Mahony as Rebekah, Ronald Ibbs as Jacob, and John Izon as Esau were each as perfect as our remembrance of the story could help us to imagine these three. But the play has to occupy itself with the whole story of Jacob, the man who, besides cheating his brother and deceiving his father, dreamed a great dream and founded a race. It has to show him while he served with Laban for twice seven years and longer, and there married Rachael and Leah.

It was this middle portion of the play which broke somewhat from the quality of its beginning, and, although it made concessions on the lighter side and had a modern touch, was always better where it gave Ronald Ibbs clearest openings to interpret the deepening character of Jacob, who had to pass through many tests before he became worthy of return to his own land, in fulfilment of his dream, and for his great purpose. It might be the comic heaten gods of Laban, Beor, Ashera, Shamem and Asa, that were at fault here, rather than any actual character or any real interpretation, for certainly Hamlyn Benson gave wholeheartedly what was given him to do by the author in the part of Laban; while Cathleen Delaney and Doris Cloghran were always good as Rachael and Leah. Yet this portion could be forgotten easily in the play's fine ending, with its noble scene between Jacob and Esau.

The production was by Gerald Pringle, and the very suitable Biblical settings and costumes by Carl Bonn. Christopher Casson has to be remembered, too, for his assistance in interpreting the story, both as commentator and as The Voice that spoke to Jacob.

LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, Nov. 4.

THE SUPREME COURT.—11. For Hearing—In re Estate of Hafner, decd. Olhausen v. Powderly and others and cross notice (at hearing).

THE HIGH COURT.—In Court 2. Mr. Justice Haugh, 11. Circuit Appeals. In Court 6. Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy, 11. Summons—Hamilton and others v. Fitzpatrick and another

JURY ACTIONS.—Jurors Nos. 1 to 105, inclusive, must attend this week. Jurors Nos. 106 to 220, inclusive, are excused until Monday next, 9th November. In Court 1. The President, 11—Walsh v. E.S.B.; Adamson v. the Minister for Finance; Mullaney v. Nolan. Unsworn Jurors Nos. 1 to 105, inclusive, are required to attend in Court 1 at 11. In Court 3. Mr. Justice Hanna, 11—Reburn v. Lynch (at hearing); Dowling v. G.S. Railways; McNaughton v. Leigh Eigish Co-operative Society; Lawler v. Headon. In Court 4. Mr. Justice Maguire, 11—Davis v. Plunkett and others (at hearing).

THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT.—11. Motions of Course. Summonses. Motions on Notice.

Bankruptcy. 12—Arrangement, veh. ac., Collins and Son; Gallagher, veh. ac., Thompson and Edwards; O'Donnell, veh. mtge. ac., D. B. Gilmore; Brady, pr. dts. and veh., Collins and Son; Galvin, veh. ac., McCann and Murphy; arrangt. ac. comp., Collins and Son; ditto, inquiry, ditto.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Before Mr. Commissioner O'Sheil, B.L.; Mr. Commissioner Deegan, and Mr. Commissioner Waddell, at 23 Upper Merrion street, Dublin, 11. For Judgment—S. 25, Land Act, 1936—Estate of Nora O'Shaughnessy; estate of George Rankin and Co., Ltd.; estate of Robert Bond Roulston. Cases for Hearing.

CIRCUIT CRIMINAL COURT, Green Street Courthouse, Dublin, 11—Unsworn Jurors Nos. 1 to 100 need not attend until Thursday, the 5th instant. Jurors Nos. 101 to 200 need not attend until Monday, the 9th November.

CIRCUIT COURT OF JUSTICE.—Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, 11—Applications for Summary Judgment; Appeal from District Court (Civil); Applications under the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Acts, 1923-1930. Valuation Appeal — Rosaline Ashley, applt., Commissioner of Valuation, respdt.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.—At Inns Quay, Court No. 1, 10.30—Defended Civil Processes and Defended Ejectment Processes adjourned from previous Sessions.

ART OF PAINTING

"Painting may be considered in future times as an expression, if not of childish mentality, certainly of a mind not yet mature," said Signor Giorgio Fanilla,

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this Column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-)

BIRTHS.

BARTON—November 3, 1942, at Greenock, Scotland, to Marjorie, wife of Paymaster Lieutenant A. H. Barton, R.N., a son.

BENZIES—October 28, 1942, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, Dublin, to Edith (nee Esler), wife of Alfred Cobban Benzies, 22 Barn Hey Crescent, Meols Hoylake, Cheshire, a daughter.

CARROLL—October 17, 1942, at Stella Maris Nursing Home, Earlsfort terrace, to Hilda, wife of John Carroll, D.Sc., Verbena House, Drumcondra, a son.

HARRISON—October 23, 1942, at the Mellifont Nursing Home, Dun Laoghaire, to June, wife of Lieut. J. C. Harrison, Rus-in-urbe, Glenageary, a son.

MARRIAGE.

QUIRKE and FINLAY—September 9, 1942, at the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, Marino, by the Very Rev. W. Fitzpatrick, D.D., C.C., Hugh, son of Joseph and Mrs. Quirke, Fairview, Dublin, to Kathleen Frances, daughter of Mrs. Finlay-Casey and the late Hugh M. Finlay, Malahide road, Dublin.

DEATHS.

CALDWELL—November 3, 1942, at her sister's residence, "Sunnyfield," Ashford, Co. Wicklow, Gertrude, daughter of the late Robert and Kate Caldwell, Wicklow. Funeral to Nun's Cross, 2 o'clock, to-morrow (Thursday).

CAMPBELL—November 2, 1942, at the Private Nursing Home, Mary S. Campbell, formerly Matron of St. Vincent's Hospital, R.I.P. Funeral (private) to-day (Wednesday), after 9 o'clock Mass in St. Vincent's Chapel.

GOLDING—November 1, 1942, in London, Mary Constance, wife of Harry B. Golding, of Rossbeg, Foster avenue, Dundrum, County Dublin, and mother of George and Richard.

HALLINAN—November 3, 1942, at her daughter's residence, 33 Nutley Park, Helen, widow of the late Thomas F. Hallinan, Cosy Lodge, Sandymount. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to the Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, this (Wednesday) evening at 6 o'clock. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Thursday) to Glasnevin Cemetery.

HARRISON—November 3, 1942, at his residence, 44 Victoria street, S.C. road, Dublin, Percy Harrison, late Proprietor, Eustace Warehouse, Eustace street. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, family, and nephews and relatives. Funeral from his residence, at 4.30 p.m. to-day (Wednesday), to Dolphin's Barn Cemetery. English papers please copy.

HILL—November 2, 1942, at the Adelaide Hospital, Ellen, beloved wife of Andrew Hill, 3 Martin street, S.C. road, Dublin. Deeply mourned by her husband, daughter, son, daughter-in-law, and grandson. "Abide with me." Funeral from St. Kevin's Church, S.C. road, after 9.30 Service to Mount Jerome, this (Wednesday) morning.

HODGENS—November 3, 1942, at the Hardwicke Hospital, following diphtheria, Ann Pamela, aged 10 years, darling daughter of Hal and Wena Hodgens, 35 Blackhorse avenue, Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Wednesday) to Dean's Grange, after 10 o'clock Mass at Aughrim street.

LOWRY—November 2, 1942, at the Adelaide Hospital, Martha J., dearly loved wife of Samuel Lowry, Post Office, Ballinagh. Funeral, 2 o'clock (S.T.), to-day (Wednesday) at Ballintemple church.

MARGETSON (Margetson & Greene, Solicitors)—November 2, 1942, at his residence, Clifton, Shankill, Edward Albert, dearly-beloved husband of Margaret Margetson. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, brothers and sisters. Funeral to-day (Wednesday), after Service at St. Peter's Church, Aungier street, 9.15 a.m., arriving Mount Jerome Cemetery at 10 o'clock.

"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in Thee."

McDOWELL—November 3, 1942, at his residence, 78 Palmerston road, Dublin, Joseph McDowell, late of Harristown, Kinnegad. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. R.I.P. Funeral from Church of the Holy Name, Beechwood avenue, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Thursday) to Ballybogan Cemetery.

MEGAW—November 3, 1942, Elizabeth, beloved wife of James Megaw, Hebron, Dundonald. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), 3 p.m., to Dundonald Cemetery. Deeply regretted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Frederick H. and Eva Megaw, 51 Lower Leeson street, Dublin. "With Christ."

PRENDERGAST—November 3, 1942, at St. Vincent's Private Nursing Home, the Rev. Patrick J. Prendergast, F.M. Marist Fathers, Leeson street. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed at 6.30 this (Wednesday) evening to St. Andrew's, Westland row. Solemn Requiem Mass at 11 a.m. to-morrow (Thursday). Funeral immediately afterwards to Glasnevin Cemetery.

ROGERS—November 2, 1942, Elizabeth, widow of the late William Graves Rogers, at the residence of her son-in-law, 27 Ellesmere avenue, N.C. road, Dublin. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. "At Rest." Funeral from Grangegorman Church, arriving Mount Jerome at 9.40 to-morrow (Thursday) morning.

STUART—October 31, 1942, at Brooklands, Haywards Heath, Sussex, J. M. B. Stuart, C.I.E., elder son of the late Andrew Stuart, Ulster Bank, Enniskillen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 3.

IN MEMORIAM.

CLARENDON—In loving memory of my darling Mother, Jane Rebecca, called to Higher Service, November 4th, 1938—Olive.

MAGUIRE—In loving memory of Michael Joseph Maguire, 70 Harcourt street, Dublin, who died November 4th, 1941.

MERCIER—In undying memory of Herbert Blennerhassett Mercier, Lieut., R.A.F., 55th Squadron, Inxpendent Air Force, Killed in action 3rd November, 1918.

PEPPER—In ever loving memory of my dearest Mother. Entered into Life, November 4, 1930. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours." Rev. xiv. 13.—Gerald.

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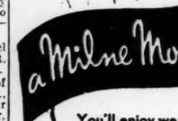

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